



SUPREME COURT OF MISSOURI

en banc

June 25, 2019

STATE OF MISSOURI,)	
)	
Respondent,)	
)	
v.)	No. SC80052
)	
RUSSELL BUCKLEW,)	
)	
Appellant.)	

PER CURIAM

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on May 19, 1997, the Circuit Court of Boone County entered its judgment finding Russell Bucklew guilty of first-degree murder and fixing punishment at death; and

Thereafter, on June 16, 1997, Russell Bucklew's notice of appeal from said conviction was filed in this Court; and

Thereafter, on May 26, 1998, this Court affirmed Russell Bucklew's conviction and sentence; and

Thereafter, on August 25, 1998, this Court overruled Russell Bucklew's motion for rehearing and set his date of execution for December 4, 1998; and

Thereafter, on November 20, 1998, Russell Bucklew's execution was stayed while he sought relief in various state and federal courts; and

Thereafter, on February 18, 2000, Russell Bucklew's notice of appeal from the judgment overruling his post-conviction relief motion was filed in this Court; and

Thereafter, on January 31, 2001, this Court affirmed the overruling of Russell Bucklew's post-conviction motion; and

Thereafter, on March 20, 2001, this Court overruled Russell Bucklew's motion for rehearing of that decision; and

Thereafter, on October 7, 2013, the Supreme Court of the United States denied Russell Bucklew's petition for writ of certiorari with respect to his federal claims; and

Thereafter, on April 9, 2014, this Court set Russell Bucklew's date of execution for May 21, 2014; and

Thereafter, on May 21, 2014, the Supreme Court of the United States issued a stay of execution, which thereafter expired; and

Thereafter, on November 21, 2017, this Court set Russell Bucklew's date of execution for March 20, 2018; and

Thereafter, on March 20, 2018, the Supreme Court of the United States issued a stay of execution; and

Thereafter, on April 1, 2019, the Supreme Court of the United States issued an opinion, and the stay of execution expired; and

Thereafter, on May 3, 2019, the state filed a motion to set execution date to which Russell Bucklew filed a response on June 3, 2019;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is ordered that Russell Bucklew's sentence be executed during the 24-hour period beginning at 6:00 p.m. on October 1, 2019.

A warrant of execution is directed to issue accordingly.

STATE OF MISSOURI-Sct.

I, Betsy AuBuchon, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Missouri, certify that the foregoing is a full, true and complete transcript of the order of said Supreme Court, entered of record at the May Session thereof, 2019, and on the 25th day of June, 2019, in the above entitled cause.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at the City of Jefferson, this 25th day of June, 2019.

_____, Clerk

_____, Deputy Clerk